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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum, 41 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., south-east, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., south, velocity 10 miles. At midnight the temperature was 47 deg.; clear.  
TODAY: At 3 a.m. the temperature was 45 deg.; clear.  
Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; probably rain; brisk southerly winds. San Francisco and vicinity: Rain; brisk to high southerly winds.  
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Port Arthur the Scene of a Fierce Struggle for the Mastery of the Approaches to Korea.

Unconfirmed Report of the Destruction of the Entire Russian Fleet Stationed There---Bombardment of the Town---Chase of Warships.

BERLIN, Feb. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A dispatch to the Vossische Zeitung from Yokohama says the greater number of the Russian warships at Port Arthur have already been disabled, and that several Japanese warships have been sent home for repairs.

RUSSIA'S EASTERN SQUADRON IN PERIL.  
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:  
CHEFOO, Thursday, 9:30 a.m. (Eastern time).—A number of Japanese vessels are watching near Chefoo for the Russian squadron from Europe and will probably capture that squadron today. Food is scarce among civilians in Port Arthur. During the bombardment, up to Tuesday noon, the Russians had lost 16 dead and 35 wounded. It is reported that the Japanese are awaiting reinforcements from Japan to make a further attack upon Port Arthur.

The Russian policy is to protect Port Arthur and not to engage in a naval battle outside of the protection of the guns of the forts. The Russian troops are now on the Yalu, and number 30,000 men and 180 guns. Trains are bringing more and more troops from Russia.

Very little damage was done to Port Arthur by the bombardment Tuesday. Five shells fell inside and nine outside the town. Fortifications were uninjured.

BATTLE OFF PORT ARTHUR.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Tokio, dated 7:10 p.m., yesterday, says an unofficial report was current there that the Russian fleet was destroyed, four battleships and three cruisers being sunk, and that two Japanese warships were damaged in an engagement yesterday off Port Arthur, the Japanese getting between the Russians and the entrance of the harbor before the engagement commenced.

BOMBARDMENT CONTINUES.  
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 12.—In a dispatch from Shanghai, dated February 12, the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says:  
"The bombardment of Port Arthur continues. Three Russian cruisers have been sunk. The Russian bank building has been destroyed."

CARRYING WAR INTO JAPAN.  
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Tien-tsin correspondent of the Standard cables that it is rumored that five Russian cruisers from Vladivostok bombarded Hakoda, Japan, Tuesday.

JAPAN CONTROLS THE SEA.

TIENTSIN, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan has a squadron patrolling the Gulf of Pe-chili, holding up and examining all vessels. This demonstrates Japan's absolute command of the sea.

JAPANESE CAPTURE SEVEN SHIPS.  
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:  
NAGASAKI, Wednesday, 8:20 p.m.—There is more good news for Japan, which the people receive with absolute tranquillity. Continuing their attack upon Port Arthur, the Japanese have captured seven Russian ships and are chasing others, which they are likely to capture.

No Japanese were killed or wounded in the Chemulpo affair. The Japanese reserves have been called out.

PORT ARTHUR DISTURBANCES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:  
NAGASAKI, Wednesday 6:20 p.m. (Eastern time). There have been disturbances at Port Arthur, a number of Japanese civilians having been killed and others imprisoned.

A Chinese mob has destroyed telegraph and telephone wires around Newchwang, severing land communications with Talma. The captured Russian cruiser Variag has arrived at Saseho.

THAT TORPEDO-BOAT ATTACK.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:  
CHEFOO, Thursday.—Out of the four Japanese torpedo boats which made the first attack Monday night at Port Arthur three were sunk with great loss of life. The fourth was a 28-knot boat and escaped. The Japanese torpedo boats effected an entrance into the outer harbor by using the Russian signal flashlights; consequently the Russians did not fire on them.

I have heard the following account of the first surprise from a Russian naval officer: The battleship Pallada was on the outside of the Russian fleet and, on duty that night. The chief artillery officer noticed four torpedo boats approach with full lights, and in all respects like Russian torpedo boats. The officer informed his captain that the approaching boats were Japanese. The captain denied this, and said they were built in Port Arthur. The artillery officer insisted that they were Japanese and the captain became angry, saying: "I am in command of the ship, sir."

ATTEMPTED LANDING REPULSED.

It is reported now that the Japanese attempted a landing near Bedzero, eighty miles north of Port Arthur, but were repulsed with heavy loss. They again tried to effect a landing at Talien Wan under the shelter of the fleet, but owing to the strong fort firing they were unable to succeed. It is claimed that one Japanese ship has been torpedoed. The British merchant ships in Port Arthur have repeatedly applied for permission to leave port, but this has been refused.

The Czarevitch was towed into the harbor here at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. It is said only her outer bottom was penetrated by the Japanese torpedo, and the Russians are now busy repairing her. She can be repaired in two or three days. The Pallada is still outside, and

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beached. She must be seriously injured, but she is now also being repaired. She is the only one of the torpedoed vessels now outside.

A shell struck a hospital ship outside the base during the bombardment. The captain's cabin and the chest room were blown off. There was no loss of life, as the ship was only recently purchased, and was unmanned.

**PURSUED BY THE MIKADO.**  
The Herald's European edition publishes the following from its correspondent:

**NAGASAKI, Wednesday, 6:20 p.m.** (Eastern time).—According to telegrams which have reached here from Chefoo and elsewhere it appears that the Russian ships at Chemulpo pursued the departing Japanese warship Mikado, but that they in turn were attacked by other Japanese warships and the Russian vessel Korietz was sunk, the Variag being captured.

**RECENT OCCURRENCES.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
**NEW YORK, Feb. 11.**—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's European edition published the following from its correspondent:

**CHEFOO, Thursday, 9:35 a.m.** (Eastern time).—A well-grounded report reaches here that a Japanese squadron sailed on the 4th, with the armed cruiser Asama escorting troops to Korea. They arrived at Chemulpo on the evening of the 9th, and on the morning of the 10th they met off Round Island, the two Russian warships Variag and Korietz, shots were exchanged and the two Russian boats retired to Chemulpo and immediately sank. They probably were taken.

Gen. Tchichikoff has taken supreme command of the Russian troops in Manchuria. There is a strong northeasterly wind blowing at Chefoo, rendering all communication by ships impossible. Many Chinese boatsmen have just been drowned before my eyes. It was impossible to save them, owing to the violence of the waves. The storm may capsize the stranded battleships at Port Arthur, causing them to block completely the harbor entrance. It will also compel the Japanese to retire.

The foreigners at Port Arthur were notified, at 7 o'clock Monday night, that they had twenty-four hours in which to clear out, but the British steamers there have been forbidden to leave. One German steamer arrived at Chefoo today, the first to get here from Port Arthur since the Columbia reported here after the battle. The reserves had been called out.

Thousands of persons are leaving Port Arthur daily by train. There is not even standing room in the cars. At 4 o'clock this afternoon, the Russian transport Samolent and torpedo boat No. 211 entered the canal. Torpedo boat No. 222, has broken down and is repairing here. The Russian trouble has gone down 24 per cent since the battle of the 9th.

**PERFECT INTELLIGENCE.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
**NEW YORK, Feb. 12.**—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's Chefoo correspondent says:

"The Japanese intelligence system here works perfectly. A torpedo boat sometimes approaches the shore, but no lights are shown. Signals are sent from shore by Japanese, and the watching squadron is kept fully informed. It is reported that the Japanese have captured four merchantmen, the Mongolia, the Manchuria, the Sanghai and the Edward Barry."

"During the Japanese torpedo attack Monday night two Japanese officers, and eighteen men swam ashore from the sunken torpedo boat and are now in prison."

**CHEERED THE NOVIK.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
**NEW YORK, Feb. 12.**—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's Chefoo correspondent publishes the following from its correspondent:

**CHEFOO, Thursday, 6 p.m.** (Eastern time).—The injured Russian cruiser Novik, which was successfully brought into the harbor Tuesday afternoon, was hailed with tremendous cheering by Russians, owing to the fact that the Novik, it had been reported, had sunk two Japanese torpedo boats.

**CHINA ASKS A PLEDGE.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
**NEW YORK, Feb. 12.**—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's Chefoo correspondent publishes the following from its correspondent:

**BERLIN, Thursday.** I learn from a trustworthy source that China has asked the United States to obtain an international pledge as to the integrity of China. According to information furnished by the Chinese Legation here, this is because China itself was unable to guarantee the permanence of her neutrality during the war. My authority at the legation says the position of the Chinese government is this: China is prepared to maintain strict neutrality for the time being, but how long such an attitude is possible will depend on events. It must be remembered that not only is war being fought about Manchuria, Chinese territory, but fighting is certain on Chinese soil. If the Chinese population becomes excited, an uprising may be unavoidable. Further, it may be not only possible but desirable for China to remain passive. China's 20,000 well-equipped troops are at Pe Chi Li, close to the Manchuria frontier ready for any emergency. Count Tombe, the Swedish Minister here, had several conferences with Baron Von Richthofen. I understand the Swedes fear Anglo-Russian complications and foresee the possibility of England seizing the island of Gouland as a coaling base, which the Swedes would surrender after a show of resistance. Then Russia would declare that Sweden had violated neutrality.

King Oscar may postpone his proposed trip to Abyssinia and a mobilization of the Swedish army is not impossible.

**COUNSELS AGAINST PANIC.**  
**RUSSIAN SECURITIES SAFE.**  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
**ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.**—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Minister of Finance has issued a communication warning people against becoming panic-stricken and sacrificing the se-

## DAMAGE TO SHIPS AT PORT ARTHUR.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

**ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.**—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Chefoo today received a telegram from Viceroy Alexieff describing the damage done to the Russian warships during the bombardment by the Japanese fleet at Port Arthur. It says:

"The Corvett and Pallada were brought into the harbor Tuesday. The Retvizan is making temporary repairs to a hole. Repairs to the battleships are so complicated that it is difficult to say when the ships will be ready. The Pallada and Novik will be docked in turn, and I expect them to be ready in a fortnight. All the other vessels injured in the fight are now repairing and coaling in the harbor. I expect them to be ready in three days."

The wounded officers are doing well. Four of the wounded have died. A majority of the injured belong to the cruiser Pallada, and their injuries are due to gases from an explosion of a mine torpedo. A careful search by divers and torpedo boats day and night has not revealed the presence of the enemy. It is officially announced that no news has been received here of the fight at Chemulpo, the landing of Japanese or the blowing up a bridge on the Manchurian Railroad.

The admiralty has issued specific orders that no telegrams from the Far East, whether for private persons, newspaper or news agencies will be transmitted. The admiralty will give out official reports.

Admiral Stridoff, commander of the Russian Black Sea fleet, has quietly left for the Far East to take command of the Russian fleet there. All unattached naval officers in St.

Petersburg and Kronstadt have been ordered to go East promptly without making farewell calls.

Students in uniform and bareheaded in the afternoon paraded in front of the Kaiser Cathedral, and went to the Winter Palace. They were followed by several thousand persons singing the national anthem.

The assistant Chief of Police thanked the students for their evidence of patriotism, but he requested them to no longer disturb the city. The crowds then returned singing.

Serious disturbances are reported to have broken out at Revel, the fortified seaport on the Gulf of Finland. Four companies of soldiers said to have been dispatched to suppress the rioting. The disturbances are believed to be connected with labor troubles.

There is a general movement among the public to raise money for the purpose of increasing the navy. The Red Cross Society sent the steamship Mongolia, loaded with hospital stores, to the Far East Sunday. The question of abandoning Russian participation in the St. Louis Exposition is under consideration. The merchants of Moscow today notified Commissioner-General Alexandrovsky that they would devote the money intended for the exposition to the Red Cross Society and to assisting the war orphans and widows. They intended to contribute \$500,000.

If it is decided to abandon the Russian exhibit, the government will follow the example of the Moscow merchants and appropriate the St. Louis fund and the remains of previous exposition funds, amounting to about \$225,000, to the Red Cross Society.

## MANY HOUSES HIT BY JAPANESE SHELLS.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

**CHEFOO, Feb. 11.**—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The British steamer Chefoo of the China Navigation Company arrived here this morning. She was loaded with Chinese and with foreigners as passengers.

The captain reports that the Japanese fleet again bombarded Port Arthur yesterday. The bombardment began between 10 and 11 o'clock in the morning and lasted three-quarters of an hour. Many houses were hit by shells, especially those on hills, and a number of persons were killed and wounded. The lower part of the town was not damaged, except that a few shells fell on the Bund (the levee).

Many non-combatants have left Port Arthur, but more remain unable to get away. The steamer Chefoo was allowed to depart by special permission, but other steamers were put under guard by Admiral Alexieff's orders.

According to advice from a Japanese source, the fleet will intercept the small Russian squadron now approaching from Singapore at a point between Amoy and Formosa.

**RUSSIAN COURT HAS BLUES.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
**ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.**—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Russian court, so much depressed, especially the Emperor, the dull tone of the Imperial proclamation is generally noticed, and is attributed to His Majesty's dislike of war, the feeling of unpreparedness and the fear of internal dissensions.

## MIKADO OUT WITH HIS PROCLAMATION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

**TOKIO, Feb. 11.**—[By Pacific Cable.] The existence of a state of war with Russia was formally announced yesterday by an Imperial proclamation. The following is the draft of the rescript:

"We, by the grace of heaven, Emperor of Japan, seated on the throne occupied by the same dynasty since time immemorial, hereby make proclamation to our loyal and brave subjects, as follows:

"We hereby declare war against Russia, and we command our army and navy to carry on hostilities against her, in obedience to their duty, with all their strength, and we also command our competent authorities to make every effort in pursuance of their duty to attain the national aim with all the means within the limits of the laws of nations."

"We have always deemed it essential in international relations, and have made it our consistent aim, to promote the pacific progress of our empire in civilization, to strengthen our friendly ties with the United States, and to establish a state of things which would maintain enduring peace in the Far East, and assure the security of our domination without injury to the rights or interests of other powers."

"Our competent authorities have also performed their duties in obedience to our will, so that our relations with all the powers have been steadily growing in cordiality. It was thus entirely against our expectation that we have, unhappily, come to open hostilities against Russia. The integrity of Korea is a matter of the gravest concern to this empire, not only because of our traditional relations, but also because of the security of our empire."

Orders have been issued for the formation of a third Siberian army

with that country, but because the subsequent existence of Korea is essential to the safety of our empire. "Nevertheless, Russia, in disregard of her solemn treaty pledges to China and her repeated assurances to other powers, is still in occupation of Manchuria, and is endeavoring to strengthen her hold on these provinces and is bent on their final annexation. And, since the absorption of Manchuria by Russia would render it impossible to maintain the integrity of China, and would, in addition, compel the abandonment of all hope of peace in the Far East, we were determined, in these circumstances, to settle the question by negotiations and to secure thereby permanent peace. With that object in view, our competent authorities, by our order, made proposals to Russia, and frequent conferences were held during the last six months."

Russia, however, never met such proposals in the spirit of conciliation, but by wanton delays put off a settlement of the six questions and by persistently advocating peace on one hand, while on the other extending her navy and military preparations so as to accomplish her own selfish designs. We cannot in the least admit that Russia had any serious or genuine desire for peace. She rejected the proposals of our government. The safety of Korea was in danger and the interests of our empire were menaced. The guarantee for the future which we sought to secure by peaceful negotiations can now only be obtained by an appeal to arms."

"It is our earnest wish that by the loyalty and valor of our faithful subjects peace may soon be permanently restored and the glory of our empire preserved."

curties, as thereby they will only benefit speculators. The ministry exhorts the people to remain calm and collected regarding events in the Far East, while they may create temporary difficulties. Russia's economic power. It points out that stocks fell at the outbreak of the Russo-Turkish war in 1877 but that within a fortnight, quotations recovered.

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corps and a trans-Baikal division of Cossacks. These will be incorporated in the Manchurian army.

Rigid censorship still prevents the newspapers from receiving war news from either Russian or foreign sources. None has been received since Viceroy Alexieff's dispatch. All manner of rumors are afloat. The government, however, has taken measures to counteract their publication, forbidding the retail sale of the principal offender, the St. Petersburg Gazette. The government expresses great displeasure at the publication of the report of a Russian victory and the raising of false hopes among the people. Nevertheless, the rumors circulated verbally are greedily swallowed.

All the Russian shipping companies having vessels in the Far Eastern waters are anxious. The Volunteer Fleet Association is much concerned regarding the Ekaterinof, which left Vladivostok February 4, and the Veron, which left Shanghai, tea-laden, for Singapore, February 1.

All the naval officers in St. Petersburg this morning attended a service at the church of St. Nicholas. The tone of the press comment today is less bitter against Japan. The report circulated here that the United States has offered her good offices is commented on only by the Novosti, which emphasizes the preposterous statements that intervene in the impossible. The Novoye Vremya bitterly assails Great Britain.

## NAVAL EXPERT MAHAN'S OPINION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

**PORT ARTHUR ENGAGEMENTS HAVE SETTLED NOTHING.**  
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**NEW YORK, Feb. 11.**—"About all that can be said now is, that while the Japanese have won the first battle, it does not settle anything," remarked Capt. Alfred T. Mahan, in discussing the usefulness of the torpedo boat in warfare, as shown by the news from Port Arthur.

"There is no absolute defense against attacks of the torpedo boats. Great vigilance—in fact, a constant state of siege, the use of torpedo nettings and other appliances, may minimize the danger to a fleet, but it has always to expect that unexpected lunge that it has no parity for."

"As to the engagements off Port Arthur, they do not settle anything. Neither side, in the light of my present information, has been sufficiently damaged to venture the statement that it has weakened."

The Italian cruiser Liguria, with the Duke of Abruzzi on board, will start directly from Buenos Ayres, Argentina, to Japan, cables the Herald correspondent at Valparaiso de Chile. The Chilean training ship General Balmaceda, now cruising in Italian waters, has been ordered, says a Herald dispatch from Valparaiso, to protect the Far East.

War in the Far East already has affected the silk piece goods market of the United States. The majority of prominent importing houses have just announced advances of 10 per cent on Hainault and other well-known manufactures in Japan. Stocks in Yokohama and New York are decidedly light. In order to secure a uniformity of prices, the more important Japanese houses are endeavoring to establish a price agreement. Several of the largest firms already have attached their names to the agreement.

**CONGRATULATE MIKADO.**  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
**ST. LOUIS, Feb. 11.**—The members of the Japanese Consulate here today congratulated the Mikado on his victory won by his ships from Russia.

**MAY IMPRESS BOATS.**  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
**SEATTLE (Wash.), Feb. 11.**—The Ito Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamship line, sailed from Yokohama yesterday for Seattle. The ship is scheduled to follow here on February 23. There has been a persistent rumor that the Japanese government would impress the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liners to serve as transports.

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**TOKIO'S JOY TAKES FORM.**  
Students Parade Streets and Give Cheers for Their Conquering Forces.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)  
**LONDON, Feb. 11.**—[By Atlantic Cable.] A Reuter's dispatch from Tokyo says:

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"The Russian legation overlooks a square where thousands of people had assembled to witness the celebration of the Japanese victory, but the windows of the legation were darkened. The crowds are orderly. The British residents of Tokio were cheered wherever they appeared."

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 10-acre orange grove,  
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**EXCHANGE — AT RIVERSIDE, 21**  
acres, orange grove on corner of Central  
and Palm avenues, only one block from  
beach; 100' wide, 100' deep, 100' wide, 100'  
room house; artesian pressure water;  
large palms and plenty of flowers; price  
\$15,000. Profitable home place. price  
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36 acres, part of the townsite of Daguerre,  
only a short distance from Daguerre  
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Washington avenue and Valiente Lane  
highways are here. There are many  
large and one small home, electric  
light, half in heating, good income, and  
good water. subdivided into villa  
tracts; price \$15,000.

**ONTARIO —**  
2½ acres on Euclid, ave.; large house;  
electric lights, pressure water, money  
making property. 100' wide, 100' deep,  
20 years old; double water right;  
cypress head ditch, etc., etc., good  
home place. price \$15,000.

**27. ANTARES**—near Euclid ave. 5-room house; large lot, 100' wide, 150' deep; 100' ocean beach; will pay 10 per cent. regularly on price asked; price \$4600.

In addition to the above we will put in, from \$2,000 to \$40,000 in good first mortgages, and we can also buy or sell any property, whereby we can concentrate the money in the business of our own handling; will exchange all or a part.

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fied area near Los Angeles. Minimum price for  
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In business country, well established and doing a profitable business; want city residences or vacation lots. Clear Address: Box 83, TRINIDAD, E. 12

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acres, 1000 ft. elevation, 1000 ft. or  
clear; price \$30,000; clear for clear, or  
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**EXCHANGE—TWO OR FOUR ACRES**  
seasons short lots at city limits for  
country lots. Clear Address: Box 100,  
near Los Angeles. Owner, 348  
HURD BLDG. 12

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county. Min. price \$10,000 for  
country, at 6 1/2 per cent. for four-acre  
lots. Clear Address: J. L. JAMES  
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of exchanging city property for  
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you to trade or what do you  
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name, will rent \$500; want clear lots  
 and beach, ranch or home in other city.  
 N. HOLWAY, agent, 220 Grant Bldg.  
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EXCHANGE - MY EQUITY IN GOODS  
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EXCHANGE OR SALE-\$1000: FINE  
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 desirable Bldg., will sell or exchange  
 superior, large lot to select from. 17

SPORTING PAGE.

# FIXING OVER THEIR MATCH

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*Britt and "Young Corbett" to  
Meet After All.*

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## *Sullivan Affair Precedes the Gala Occasion*

**Long Shots Finish First at  
Ingleside—New Orleans.**

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is about as certain as anything can be that "Young Corbett" and Jimmy Britt will fight for the championship next month, and their fight will take place before the New Valley Club as originally scheduled.

It is probable that the big show will be pulled off March 15, as both principals will ask for a larger date, on account of the Sullivan affair. Corbett was only bluffing when he declared that he would "pass up" Corbett's offer to meet Sullivan. He did his level best to scare the champion into a fight, as he believed that it would hurt Sullivan's interests, but when he learned that Corbett was stubborn and Jimmy quietly pulled in his horns, Jimmy's desire to fight Corbett is not weaker than it was a year ago. Gleason, manager of the Hayes Club, says there is no chance of a fight.

**New Orleans Race.**  
**GREENS.** Feb. 11.—Selling:  
 1-5. Qrs. McKinney won;  
 2-5. Miss Melton won, Chas.  
 Kette Power third; time 1:33.  
 1-5. Fox Kane won. Al-  
 bert second, Mrs. Frank Foster third;  
 time 1:30.  
 1-5. Ben Howr was Stand-  
 ard time; Curat third; time 1:25.  
 1-5. Selling, Saturday:  
 1-5. second, Frank Rice third;  
 time 1:25.  
 1-5. Emma A. M. won, W. W.  
 Jogie F. M. second, W. W.  
 J. M. third; time 1:25.

OUGH TO PAY DEBTS.  
L PORTLAND FRANCHISE.  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.  
—(Or.) Feb. 11.—At a  
of the stockholders of the Port-  
land Association held last  
it was determined to sell the  
of the club for \$12,000. Just  
to pay the debt of the associa-  
it was agreed that the commit-  
should dispose of the franchise  
on March 1, the Ely Brothers  
being given an option on  
purchasing the remainder of the  
not subscribed by the stock-

**HERMAN'S VICTORY.**  
CITY (Mo.) Feb. 31.—  
ton tonight knocked out  
in the sixth round.  
scheduled for a twenty-  
before the Missouri Ath-  
Herman, who had much  
age in weight, knocked  
three times in the sixth.

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**BOXING FOR CLUBS**

The boxing club again in this month and has been anxious for change to winter time. It is pressing for club members.

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Information from official sources of the report from Port Arthur that the Japanese attempted to make a landing at the bay of Port Arthur and were immediately repulsed.

The Foreign Office received a dispatch today, dated yesterday, reporting that 5000 Japanese troops are encamped near Seoul, Korea, some of which have engaged the town. It is added that quiet prevails there. No mention is made of the presence of the Korean Emperor at the French Legation, where he has been reported to have sought refuge.

## GRIGSBY CALLS ON THE ROUGH RIDERS.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. Melvin Grigsby of this city, who raised a regiment of Rough Riders for the Spanish War, is communicating with the members of his own and the Wood-Roosevelt regiment with a view to raising a regiment and probably two, to fight for Japan. He has gone to Washington and presented a plan to the Japanese Minister there.

The Minister fears international difficulties, but admits, according to Grigsby's telegram to friends here, that Japan needs just such cavalry force, it being weakest in this arm of the service.

Grigsby's plan is to notify former Rough Riders and other adventurous spirits that if they would proceed to Japan as individuals they would learn something to their advantage.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TRANSPORTS. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] HALIFAX (N. S.) Feb. 11.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A British staff officer had a consultation today with the representative of the Canadian Pacific Railway regarding what arrangements could be made in case it was necessary to transport large numbers of troops from Halifax to the Pacific coast. The railway company is now busy with how many trains could be placed at the disposal of the military. The Canadian Pacific Railway would be able to transport 60,000 troops across the continent within two weeks after the order had been received by the imperial government. The company would be able to transport the troops by rail, and the troops would be transported by rail to the Pacific coast. The company would be able to transport the troops by rail, and the troops would be transported by rail to the Pacific coast.

## WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

BERLIN, Feb. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Lokal Anzeiger says notification has been received of the proposed passage of the Russian Baltic fleet, consisting of fifteen warships, through the Kaiser Wilhelm Canal, on its way to the Far East.

The German Foreign Office says Germany's aims in the Far East are identical with those of the United States, as expressed in Secretary Hay's note regarding the neutralization of China, localizing the field of war and keeping the Chinese ports open to all traders.

BERLIN, Feb. 11.—A dispatch received here from Tokyo says the imperial decree concerning the seizure of Russian merchant vessels except those leaving Japan or sailing direct from other than Japanese ports for Japan up to February 16, provided the latter leave Japan after discharging their cargoes and keep to the route mapped out for them, and provided also that neither inward-bound nor outward-bound ships have on board articles contraband of war.

RUSSIAN VESSELS AT SUEZ. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] SUEZ (Egypt), Feb. 11.—The Russian volunteer fleet steamer Carina and a torpedo boat have arrived here.

TWO OTHERS ENTER CANAL. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] PORT SAID, Feb. 11.—The Russian transport Smolensk and one torpedo boat have entered the Suez Canal.

GARRISON WITHDRAWN. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] TIENTSIN, Feb. 11.—The Russian garrison was withdrawn yesterday from Shan Hai Kwan. The postoffice was transferred to the French authorities.

JAPANESE ENTERPRISE. Yuan Shi Kwei, Governor of Chi-li province and commander-in-chief of the army, has issued a proclamation forbidding meetings of secret societies or sedition meetings. The Japanese are feeding Peking with state newspapers containing reports of the Japanese successes against Russia.

TURKEY AND BULGARIA. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 11.—In diplomatic circles here the fear is increasing that Turkey and Bulgaria will take advantage of Russia's preoccupation in the Far East to settle their differences. Turkish securities have been falling since Friday, February 6.

REJOICING AT TOKIO. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—A dispatch to the St. James Gazette from Tokyo, under today's date, says: "There are great rejoicings here at the successes of the Japanese navy. The public buildings, residences and business houses are decorated with flags. Bunting is to be seen everywhere. Tokio

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RAILROAD BLOCKED. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—A special dispatch from Tientsin confirms the report that the Manchurian railroad has been blocked by the blowing-up of a bridge on the line and that thirty Russians were killed in the explosion. It is reported, the dispatch adds, that the Russian steamers Nomon and Mukden, belonging to the Chinese Eastern Railway Company, have been captured by the Japanese.

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## THE FAR EAST; RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

(SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

IS it peace or war? This is the question which held the world in tense expectation for months. After centuries of isolation the furthest Orient with its gray methods of doing things and its deprecating civilization brought face to face with the young spirit that animates the West and the new civilization which in the end rests in the Sermon on the Mount. China so far has manifested only an inability to entertain the new order of things, and to become regenerate. Atrophy seems to reign in all the members of that empire. Japan, on the contrary, seems fully capable of regeneration, and even anxious to become conformed to Occidental ideas.

As to Europe, while the peoples of that continent are swayed to some extent by the principles of Christian civilization, the most apparent attitude of them is one which illustrates the truth of the aphorism: "Where the carcass is there shall the eagles be gathered together." China is the carcass and the eagles represent all the great nations of Europe. China is ready to fall to pieces of her own dead weight, and all Europe is waiting to partake of the spoils. Japan is alive, progressive, ambitious. As a branch of the Anglo-Saxon race, the nation thus the prey offered in the crevice of Chinese empire is her quarry by all the rights that exist. She sees that to enjoy her quarry she must fight for it. To protect her rights she must beat off the hands of all who would not fight for her. She has not to do so; for Europe is torn up by internal dissensions as to the division of the spoils. So Japan proposes to fight that European power which is nearest at hand and most directly threatening to take over the first large slice of Chinese territory. Russia is the only European power contiguous to China. And Russia, by the way, is half Asian. The old saying "scratch a Russian and you will find a Cossack" might be extended to include "scratch a Russian and you will find a Cossack and a conqueror."

A number of Russian bluejackets who swam ashore after the Japanese attack on the Variaz and the Korietz have been made prisoners. Reports from Chemulpo say that both the Variaz and Korietz hoisted the white flag at the last moment.

ATTEMPTED LANDING FAILS. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.—A special dispatch from Port Arthur says the Japanese fleet attempted Wednesday to land men in several bays in the neighborhood of Port Arthur under the protection of the guns of the cruisers. It is asserted, however, that all the attempts were unsuccessful.

ALEXIEFF SUPREME. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.—It is officially announced that Admiral Alexieff has been appointed to the supreme command of the Russian land and sea forces in the Far East.

AWAITING THE MANDIR. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] SHANGHAI, Feb. 10.—The Russian gunboat Mandir is still here. It is understood that two Japanese warships are awaiting her at the mouth of the Yangtze-Kiang.

The Mandir was previously reported to have been undergoing repairs at Nagasaki, Japan, and to have been seized there by the Japanese. A later dispatch, however, stated that the vessel was at Shanghai, ready for sea at a moment's notice.

NEGOTIATING WITH TURKEY. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—The report that Russia is attempting to permit the Turkish government to permit the Black Sea fleet to pass through the Dardanelles, is revived, and it is added, that Russia is trying to secure Great Britain's consent. There is no confirmation of the report in authoritative quarters.

DEFENSIVE MEASURES. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—The St. James Gazette's correspondent at Chetoo cautions in anticipation of the return of the Chinese fleet, the Russians at Port Arthur are adopting extra defensive measures. Workmen and troops are taking down high brick buildings, which it was feared would fall and cause loss of life in the event of a Japanese bombardment.

REPORTED SUNK. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Lloyd's agent at Shanghai, cabling under date of yesterday, says it is reported and generally believed that a Japanese warship has destroyed the Russian mail steamer Mongolia, bound from Shanghai to Dalny. The cablegram adds that the three Russian warships damaged by torpedoes at Port Arthur sank.

RAILROAD BLOCKED. [BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] LONDON, Feb. 11.—A special dispatch from Tientsin confirms the report that the Manchurian railroad has been blocked by the blowing-up of a bridge on the line and that thirty Russians were killed in the explosion. It is reported, the dispatch adds, that the Russian steamers Nomon and Mukden, belonging to the Chinese Eastern Railway Company, have been captured by the Japanese.

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## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

### Snack Thief.

The residence of C. L. Hall, No. 3523 East First street, was broken into by a snack thief yesterday afternoon during the absence of the family and a gold watch and small sum of money taken.

### Destroyed by Fire.

The residence of M. Berkovitz, No. 1704 Michigan avenue, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The building was owned by L. Freyberg and was damaged \$700, with \$300 insurance. The loss on contents was about \$1200 and the insurance \$600.

### Wisconsin University Alumni.

Preliminary steps have been taken for an organization of the graduates and former students of the University of Wisconsin, and a permanent society will be formed Wednesday at 5 p. m. at the office of Wilbur S. Tupper, in the Conservative Life Building.

### Still Sightseeing.

The Oakland delegation of sightseers regaled themselves with the Mount Lowe trip yesterday, and are scheduled for Catalina today. For tonight they have planned to attend the Burbank Theater in force to see the Neils in "A Partisan Hero."

### Weber-Fields Dates.

The original Weber & Fields team, New York burlesquers, open a two-night engagement at the Grand Opera house on Main street February 26. In the supporting company are Lillian Russell, Louis Mann, Peter P. Dingley and other well-known stage lights.

### Buys on Roosevelt Avenue.

J. Ross Boyd has purchased of T. Westendorp, through Harry Brock, 761210 feet on the west side of Roosevelt avenue, 250 feet south of sixteenth street, improved with a new eight-room frame house, consideration named, \$2500. The purchaser buys the place for a home.

### Couple of Magnets.

Theater-goers doubtless remember Annie Abbott, the "Georgia Magdalen," who made a sensation at the Orpheum recently with her feats of strength and defiance of physical force. She was arrested in New York city on a charge of grand larceny, another female performer claiming that Miss Abbott stole her title, costumes and jewelry.

### For Plant Investigation.

In reply to a telegram sent by the Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday, to the California Senators in Washington, requesting that an investigation be made to increase the plant investigation appropriation, under the Department of Agriculture, from \$2000 to \$10,000 this year, a message was received yesterday stating that the request had been granted.

### Riddle Makers.

Cash prizes to the number of 191, valued at sums ranging from \$2.50 to \$100 were recently offered by the D. Ghirardelli Company of San Francisco for original riddles. More than 14,000 riddles were submitted, being sent from all over the country. The first prize, of \$100 was won by Lewis R. Freeman of Pasadena. Nine residents of Los Angeles captured smaller prizes.

### Girl in Distress.

The Salvation Army people claim the officers of the law to be mistaken in supposing the correspondent in the case of David C. Wilson divorce case to be a girl who had been taken in and helped in distress by the army, which found a place for her. She afterward fell into Wilson's clutches, to her woe and undoing.

### Reception to W.C.T.U. Woman.

In Blanchard Hall, on the afternoon of February 12, a reception will be held in honor of Mrs. Helen Bullock of Elmira, N. Y., national organizer of the W.C.T.U. Mrs. Bullock will be in the city from February 20 to 29 and will address a number of meetings in the interest of the work. The reception on the 20th will be from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon and will be under the auspices of the federated unions of the city.

### Really Club Dinner.

Twenty-two prominent real estate dealers sat down to luncheon at Levy's yesterday noon in the interest of good fellowship and the purpose of discussing the condition of the realty market. Prices were found to be firm, with the indication of a possible flurry in Broadway holdings as many realty bids have been refused in that section during the last two weeks. But the local situation finally gave way to the all important one of the Far East.

### Large Smoke Loss Reported.

Fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the cellar of the millinery establishment of Goldberg & Abraham, No. 249 South Broadway. The firemen found a box of rubbish in which "ratters" had piled city waste, ablaze. The millinery store was filled with smoke, and Mr. Abraham stated last night that although he could not accurately estimate the loss, he thought it would approximate between \$3500 and \$5000.

### Bail for Crib Women.

Six of the eight women who were surrendered to the court by their bondsmen Wednesday were bailed out of jail yesterday afternoon by the deposit of cash bail to the amount of \$1800 with Desk Sgt. Tyler. The money was brought to the station by a Frenchwoman who had been arrested some of the crib or saloon interests. It is probable that the two women yet remaining in jail will be bailed out, also, as soon as their friends can raise the necessary money—\$300 each.

### Not Bumpy Since Queen Died.

"I've seen more sunshine here in two weeks than we see in two years in old England," said Rev. Dr. Mark Guy Pearce yesterday. "You know we haven't had any real good weather since the Queen died; the sun just comes out for a few minutes, and says, 'She isn't here,' and then goes back in again." Rev. Dr. Pearce will lecture tonight in Simpson Auditorium on "Christian Socialism." Sunday morning he will preach in the First Methodist Church, Pasadena, and in the evening at the Long Beach Methodist Episcopal Church. Tuesday, as the guest of Rev. William Williams, he will go to Santa Catalina Island for two weeks.

### For Supreme Ranger.

Capt. J. F. Kelly, Supreme Ranger of the Foresters of America, was given a reception at Elks' Hall last evening by nearly 400 local members of the order. Speeches were made by Capt. Kelly, by Grand Chief Ranger H. A. Gabriel, and by Past Grand Chief E. J. Wolfe. These gentlemen are making a tour of Southern California in the interests of the order. Chief John H. Foley spoke for this end of the State, Gus C. Zisler presiding. Refreshments were served, and dancing followed. Today the party goes to Mount Lowe, and a banquet will be given tonight at the Del Monte Tavern, 200 guests being expected. Tomorrow San Pedro will be visited, and Sunday a trip will be made to San Diego.

### University Club Dines.

With the close of the fiscal year of the University Club the enthusiasm of the members is running high, and important matters are discussed for the new year. The banquet which was given at Levy's last night was attended by eighty-two members. Dr. F. B. Bullard, the president, presided, and the

address of the evening was made by ex-Judge Kennedy. He discussed the "Longevity of Intellect" in most interesting and instructive way, maintaining that the mind needs rest and exercise in the same way that the body does, and that the rest for the mind may be found in thought on subjects diametrically opposed to one's occupation. The man who thinks only along one line or profession will not live long. On March 10 the University Club will hold its annual meeting at Levy's, when new officers will be elected and plans for the year decided upon.

### BREVITIES.

Columbia Circle, Ladies of the G.A.R., will give a reception to the Department President, Mrs. Griffiths of San Francisco, Friday, Feb. 12, from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 9 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. J. Harry Smith, No. 740 East Adams street. All G.A.R. people invited.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special service is constantly being waiting at the other end of your phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 2.

Mark Guy Pearce lectures tonight at Simpson Auditorium on "Christian Socialism." This is the last opportunity to hear this famous Christian worker, author and speaker before he leaves California.

Donations of cast-off clothing, bedding, etc. solicited. Bethlehem Institutional Church, 510 Vignes, Tel. John 281 for wagon. Also Home 9381.

Peniel Hall, 227 South Main street, noon prayer meeting daily. Gospel meeting every night; also 11 a. m., 3 p. m., Sundays.

John J. Shay will supply his famous fish dinner at the Catholic Fair at Turverin Hall from 11 till 2. A new shirt-waist class will be organized at Y.W.C.A. Monday at 10 a. m.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for A. S. Newby, San Alamo; Tom Ruddle, J. J. Humphrey, A. F. Levitt, B. M. Anderson, C. W. Root, Mr. L. C. Gold, C. T. Foote and P. A. Johnson.

### PERSONAL.

Isaac Frohman, an attorney of San Francisco, is staying at the Van Nuys. Mrs. J. C. Wickham of Philadelphia, daughter of ex-Chief Justice Webster Street of Arizona, is a guest at the Van Nuys.

Dr. E. E. Beeman, the chewing-gum magnate of Cleveland, O., arrived at the Angeles yesterday accompanied by his son, L. A. Beeman.

Postmaster-elect Motley H. Flint has gone to San Francisco, on request of the department to supervise the reorganization of the city mail service there, made necessary by the occupation of the new post office building. He will complete this special task before returning to take up his regular duties as postmaster here the first of next month.

William M. Langton, editor of the Paradise of the Pacific, a monthly journal published in Honolulu and devoted to Hawaiian interests, is in the city for a brief visit. Mr. Langton was engaged in the printing business in Los Angeles prior to going to Honolulu about four and a half years ago. This is his first visit to his old home since that time, and he is amazed at the progress Los Angeles is making.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Henry Carter, aged 21, a native of New Mexico, and Alberta Walker, aged 18, a native of Georgia; both residents of Los Angeles.

Robert C. Smith, aged 24, a native of Kansas, and Estella D. Burner, aged 18, a native of Michigan; both residents of Los Angeles.

John P. Lubet, aged 20, a native of France, and a resident of Chicago, and Isabelle Aronson, aged 20, a native of France, a resident of Los Angeles.

Henry M. Warren, aged 48, a native of Maine, and Gertrude Gay, aged 30, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Arthur C. Menley, aged 23, a native of California, and Mrs. Hattie Gayetty, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

William H. Roto, aged 21, a native of California, and Florence A. Beggs, aged 17, a native of Australia; both residents of Los Angeles.

Perry F. K. Bachus, aged 23, a native of Nebraska, and Nell Wettenhall, aged 21, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

Justice Haley, aged 36, a native of California, and Nettie M. Barr, aged 21, a native of South Dakota, a resident of Los Angeles.

W. A. Barber, aged 35, a native of Iowa, and May K. Brown, aged 23, a native of Illinois; both residents of Pasadena.

Jesse R. Davis, aged 29, a native of Kentucky, and Anna Besonette, aged 28, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

**DROWNED IN THE PHILIPPINES.** MANILA, Feb. 11.—A number of government officials were returning to the mainland from a festival on Alabat Island, in a small boat, when a severe storm arose, and the frail craft was capsized. The list of those drowned includes Burnes and Grace McGraw, teachers; a contract surgeon, Teodoro J. Williams, a physician of the Board of Health and two natives.

**DEATH RECORD.** STORY.—At Alhambra, February 7, 1901, Mrs. J. P. Story, 60 years old, died of cancer of the stomach. Burial at Alhambra cemetery. Friends will meet friends at Alhambra cemetery, Feb. 12, at 1:15 p. m. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services at the home of Mrs. J. P. Story, 1415 Broadway, at 1:15 p. m. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services at the home of Mrs. J. P. Story, 1415 Broadway, at 1:15 p. m.

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**Horsemen Join Strikers.**  
CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Two hundred horsemen employed by the United Stock Yards and Transit Company and by the country and city stables in the stock yards district have joined the stablesmen on strike for higher wages.

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**Wedding Invitations and Announcements**

are strictly correct and in form when they come from here. While so maintaining the highest standard of excellence: an ever-growing department, our prices are always reasonable. Samples mailed on request.

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BETTER THAN IMPORTED

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Tooth that Fit.  
**Dr. O. Stevens**  
Dentist  
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## RAIN, BUSINESS AND ADVERTISING

**A Chance to Figure.**

Here is a novel and interesting thing! "Lines," including "Wants" and other classified advertisements with the resultant business activity which will follow rains in the increase somewhat in number and volume in all Los Angeles and morning and evening.

This advertising feature of The Times has come to be a pretty barometer of the community. The Times regularly prints more than any paper in the United States, barring only the New York Herald.

Beginning with Sunday, February 14, The Times is going to print a list of people who are watching business conditions in Los Angeles Southwest, as determined by this barometer, by offering small those who make the nearest estimates as to the number of business classified announcements that will appear in each of the five daily newspapers during the week ending February 20.

As a guide upon which to base estimates, The Times prints for the week ending January 30, a total of 1,000 business classified announcements.

The total number printed by the four other Los Angeles newspapers (two morning and two evening) during the same period was 1,000.

**MY ESTIMATE:**

(Make your "Lines" estimates as follows)

I estimate that the number of classified announcements that will be printed in the Times for the week named and for the nearest estimate awarded accordingly. Everybody is invited to send in estimates as many as desired.

The prizes to be awarded will be as follows:

For the nearest estimate as to number of separate announcements in the Times for the week named and for the nearest estimate number printed in the other four papers combined.....

For the second nearest estimate.....

For the third nearest estimate.....

For the fourth nearest estimate.....

For the fifth nearest estimate.....

For the sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth nearest estimates.....

NOTE: The award of prizes will be based on the number of announcements appearing in The Times, stated alone, and the Los Angeles newspapers in combination during the week named, and on the number of advertisements bearing signatures and names of numbers. For instance, an advertisement containing half a signature bearing a signature at the end, will of course count as one advertisement.

In The Times..... In the four other papers combined.....

(Name).....

(Address).....

Fill these blanks carefully and mail to The Times "Lines" Prize Department.

All estimates must be in the Times office not later than 8 o'clock day, February 13. They will be numbered in the order received and awarded accordingly. Everybody is invited to send in estimates as many as desired.

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**Apples**

Of the very finest varieties. \$1.75 and up per box.

**Wolverine Fruit Co.**  
638 S. Broadway Phone—Home 4007 Main 421

**Beds and Bedding**

THE PLACE TO BUY  
**R. W. PIERCE FURNITURE CO.**  
303 S. 7 N. SPRING ST.

**Featherweight Trunks.**  
**WHITNEY-WOODLING TRUNK CO.**  
419 South Spring Street.

**NORTHWESTERN UNION PACIFIC**  
In tourist sleeping cars, Pullman, etc., without extra charge. Conducted by the Union Pacific. Agent Manager, 201 S. Main St. Los Angeles.

**Hot Water Bottle Fountain Syringe**  
OF GOODRICH make. For your Druggist. **Gorham Rubber Co.** Phone Main 1423.

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CITY AND COUNTRY.  
XXIII YEAR.

**RELIABLE GOODS.**  
**N. B. BLACK**  
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**75 Dozen \$1.25 Mocha**  
**At 60c**

Tomorrow morning we place quality two-clasp pique mocha for fit, style and service. Preferring, pique seams. A full you would pay a dollar-and-a-quarter. A lot of our Eastern buyers the market value. It's a cheap good gloves at less than half-size, every shade of gray, pair.

**Leather Goods**  
Carriage and Auto Bags, late chain or leather handles, grays.  
Chatelaines in black seal, carved  
Wrist Bags in a dozen pretty at  
Combination Pocketbooks and leathers, black or colors.

**At Just Half**

We have sorted out eight or ten Some of the most delicate color from showing, otherwise perfect

**Tomorrow,**

**STEINWAY**

The Piano of Kings, the King of PIANOS.

Steinway pianos occupy the same position in St. Petersburg, Vienna, etc., as they do in the centers of America. Among the foreign potentates (the courts) who have selected a piano in preference to all others, are the Emperor of Germany, the Czar of Russia and the Mikado of Japan or a dozen lesser representatives.

**Today's "Below Special."**

will be a new \$125 Estey Chapel for \$65.00 cash—which is actually loss we charge to advertising. It will be sold at this price.

**GEO. J. BIRK**  
Shelby and Cecille Dealers. 345-

**Would You \$200.00 in**

Few people, when they buy a piano, know the profit ordinarily gets into the hands of the dealer. Our piano department pays no commission on the sale of our pianos. This is a great saving to you. A piano that costs \$400.00 and sells for \$500.00, you get \$100.00 more for the mere privilege of renting.

We will be pleased to have you visit the famous Wagner and hear it played. Mr. G. Varga, formerly with the manager of the present piano department, is now with us. Slightly used upright piano \$250.00. A good square piano \$75.00. Oak Kimball Organ \$35.00.

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\$30-532-534 50.

**SILVER SPOONS FREE**  
**Makakaka**  
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**WE SELL DESKS**  
Simple, Sensible, Serviceable, Suitable.  
Both Phones 1636.  
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431 SOUTH MAIN.

G stock of Fine Driving and Working Gloves at one-fourth price from regular prices.  
**THE APPEAL**  
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Use Dr. Vancaire's BEST DEVELOPER  
A safe and reliable means of developing the latent image.  
**DR. VANCAIRE'S**  
265 So. Main St.

When you drink  
COFFEE DRINK  
Kieley's Porto Rican  
Coffee Beans. All Grocers.

Laundry That Knows How.  
**Anger's Laundry**  
1350. 814-816 S. Main St.  
Wagons go everywhere.

Have a horse timer or chronometer that needs repairing, let us do it for you. High accuracy.  
**W. W. Hatcher and Co. (Inc.)**  
Spring St. Bryson Bldg.

Accounts—any amount, from \$1.00 to \$500.00.  
Extension Table \$8.75  
one Furniture Co.  
128-340 S. Spring.

Want the purest and best ES, order from us.  
**GERMAIN WINE CO.**  
4th St. Opp. City Hall.

**Auctions.**  
143 W. Fifth  
Saturday  
February 13th  
10 a.m.

India, iron beds, mattresses, pillows, rockers, stands, sideboards, book shelves, utensils, carpets, etc.  
**Rhodes & Reed.**

W. W. Hatcher and Co. Auctioneers.  
We have for sale or rent, on town and city property, of property and live stock.  
**W. W. Hatcher and Co.**  
228 TAJO BUILDING.

**S. B. Clark**  
Real Estate.  
143 W. Fifth.

**ESTMENT**  
Central Avenue Home Trust.  
143 W. Fifth.

**Heights Tract**  
Beautifully located property.  
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White & Co.  
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**and Park**  
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# EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

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# SOZODONT

Pretty Teeth in a Good Mouth  
are like jewels well set. Our best men and women have made Sozodont the Standard.  
**REST FOR YOUR TEETH**

link Lines, is visiting her brother for the winter; she is from Wilkesbarre, Pa. Miss Lines is well known in this city, as she has visited here before.

**Pine Forest Club.**  
Mrs. C. A. Canfield was the hostess Monday afternoon at her home, No. 302 South Alvarado street, when she entertained the members of the Pine Forest Whist Club. Scores were kept on hand-painted Valentines. The winners were awarded to Mrs. C. H. Matthey and Mrs. Sherman Page. Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. E. C. Magauran and Mrs. Murphy.

**Tuesday Whist.**  
Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. R. Stewart of Loma Drive was at home to the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Whist Club. During the afternoon punch was served at the card tables and later delightful refreshments. The house was very attractive with cut glass and plants.

**Notes and Personal.**  
Dr. Burleigh Parkhurst has returned from a two months' visit in New York. Miss Rosa Spillbury and Miss Jane Johnston of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Richardson of No. 842 Huntington avenue. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pope of No. 922 East Twenty-fifth street entertained the members of the Pansy Whist Club last evening, at their home, No. 922 East Twenty-fifth street.

**CARS CRASH**  
NEAR GARDENA.  
A freight car on the Traction & San Pedro line collided with Los Angeles and Redondo railway car No. 7 at Hermosa crossing, west of Gardena, last evening. Conductor H. Bradford of the freight received severe contusions, the passengers in the Redondo car were shaken and bruised and that car was almost totally wrecked.

**Barr-Haley Nuptials.**  
Last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Barr of No. 406 South Alvarado street, occurred the marriage of Miss Nellie Barr and J. V. Haley, the ceremony being performed by Rev. C. C. Pierce, pastor of the Memorial Baptist church. There were only a few friends and relatives present. The bride wore a charming suit of gray and carried a bouquet of white flowers. The groom wore a dark suit and carried a sword.

**Coming Events.**  
Mrs. John Little of Twenty-eighth street and Budlong avenue has issued invitations for a reception to be given on Tuesday of next week.

**Open House.**  
The Los Angeles Country Club will entertain next Wednesday evening by keeping open house. There will be selections by the amateur orchestra, which is under the leadership of A. C. Kammermeyer, and which has such members as F. H. Edwards, C. D. Cheesman, Frank Rule, Clarke Briggs and Hauck's Band. The club will also be dancing, which all the younger set desire to do.

**Birthday Party.**  
Miss Mabel St. John of No. 542 Franklin street gave a party last evening in honor of her eleventh birthday. The little people had a merry time, and a dainty banquet was served in the dining-room, where the decorations were in pink and green. At the table, where covers were laid for thirteen, a gorgeous birthday cake with eleven candles formed a centerpiece, which provided inviting to the jolly party of young folks.

**Leonidas Club.**  
Friday evening, February 12, Mrs. J. M. Reingen and Mr. George B. E. Mulligan will entertain the Leonidas Club in honor of W. H. Mullin, who leaves for South America Saturday.

**Home Wedding.**  
Last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weisbach of No. 1417 Santa Anita street, Miss Nettie Wettenhall was married to Perry S. Backus, Rev. Robert McIntyre performing the ceremony. The bride wore a tailor suit of brown, and carried violets. Both young people are well known here.

**Westlake Whist.**  
The Westlake Whist Club were entertained Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Shettler, Mr. and Mrs. L. Swift of Chicago, Miss Marjette Thurb of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Rice of Scranton, Pa., were guests of the club.

# CANDLESTICKS FREE SATURDAY

To every customer whose purchase amounts to 50 cents will be given free an Artistic WROUGHT IRON CANDLESTICK with a colored wax candle. There are several pretty designs, and all are in nicely finished black wrought iron.

Special Values Friday and Saturday  
Some prices that are sure to attract a large crowd of shoppers who are saving inclined.

China Boudoir Clocks Prettily decorated and very artistic clocks with guaranteed movements <b>\$1.00</b>	5 O'clock Tea Kettles Solid brass kettles complete with spirit lamps that will boil water quickly <b>\$1.25</b>	Cut Glass Vinegar Cruets They come in the pretty prism patterns and have glass stoppers <b>\$1.75</b>
Salt and Pepper Shakers Silver plated, and very dainty little pieces—tops are very good <b>25c Pair</b>	Decorated Steel Trays Very fancy ornamented in a number of different designs—good size <b>45c</b>	Salad Sets 13 pieces—large bowl and 1 dozen saucers to match; nicely decorated <b>\$1.25</b>
German China Set 100 pieces—a complete dinner service—in very pretty patterns <b>\$21.00</b>	Semi-Porcelain Set 100 pieces—complete service for 12 persons—in choice decorations <b>\$12.00</b>	

**Art Room News**  
Of course you have heard of our art room—if you have never visited it. Today and Saturday there are some special inducements for you to visit it—we have marked special prices on a large number of high-class art vases.

# Parmelee-Dohrmann Co.

232-234 SO. SPRING ST.

ONE PRICE  
PICTURES  
FURNITURE  
CARPETS  
PLAIN FIGURES  
DRAPERIES

# Prize Package Sale 25c

Tomorrow we will hold another of our celebrated prize package sales in the Drapery department. Those events have become so popular that people wait for them and stock up with an abundant supply of prize packages.

# Worth Double and More

Not one of the 2000 packages are worth less than 50c and from that the values range up to \$3.00. These packages contain remnants of drapery materials, fringes and everything else that is sold by the yard in our drapery department. The contents of these packages are suitable for small curtains, sofa pillows, fancy work, chair cushions, etc. Values are better at this sale than ever before, because we are about to take inventory.

# BARKER BROS.

# TURKISH TROPHIES

**Biggest Seller in the World**  
AN Turkish Tobacco 10 for 10c.  
**FREE NEW PICTURES**  
25 dainty maids of as many nations, each holding her country's emblem. Full of snap and go, the finest set of pictures we have ever issued—you know what that means. Full set free for 60 Turkish Trophies coupons.  
**Los Angeles Lighting Co.,**  
Hill Near Seventh.

**Schools and Colleges.**  
**Saint John's School**  
Half-hour ride from center of the city.  
SAN GABRIEL.  
A boarding and day school for boys. Prepares for all universities and scientific schools.  
Address Alfred H. Brown, M. A.  
Head Master.  
Telephone Alhambra Suburban 85.

**Brownsberger School**  
Home School  
Thorough bookkeeping and shorthand. Capacity for 30 pupils. Large, light airy hall. Newly decorated and furnished. A safe and a safe school. Machine at home from day and evening session. Call, write, please Main 231. Home 788.  
953 West Seventh St.

**Los Angeles Military Academy.**  
A boarding and day school for boys. Thorough drill in common English branches. Prepare for college and for business life. Swimming bath, large campus. Call or write for particulars.  
WALTER J. BAILEY, Principal.  
Commonwealth Ave. Phone Main 1304. Downtown Office 410 South Broadway.

**Occidental College**  
LOS ANGELES, CAL.  
Second semester begins February 18th. Four college courses. Good teachers. Occidental and other colleges, and is of high value. Address President Wadsworth, Phone East 326.

**"Los Angeles"**  
BUSINESS COLLEGE is a safe and reliable school. Write, call or phone to College office, 212 West Third Street, for catalogue.

**YALE SCHOOL**  
209 N. Union Ave. T. G. Adams, A. B. (Yale) Boarding and day school for young men and women. Capacity 400. Every feature of the school sound, scientific, success-inspiring. Woodbury Business College, 409 S. Hill, Phone 1291.

**Marlborough School.**  
20 West Twenty-third St. Second term will begin February 15th.  
MISS G. A. CARSWELL, Principal.

**Marlborough Preparatory School.**  
20 West Adams St. Boarding and Day School for girls under 18 years. Large play-grounds. Second semester begins February 1st.  
MISS IDA R. KENDLEY, Principal.

**MISS ALICE COLEMAN,**  
PIANIST  
Studio, Cunniff School of Expression, West-ninth and Santa Fe.

**English Classical School for Girls.**  
120 1/2 South Euclid Ave., Pasadena. Day and boarding school. Second semester begins Feb. 1st. Phone Black 1671. Anna B. Orton, Principal.

**School of Art and Design**  
614 Hill St.  
Evening classes Wednesdays and Fridays.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Business College**  
AND GRADUATE SCHOOL OF SHORTHAND, 624 S. GRAND AVE. LOS ANGELES, CAL.

**GIRL'S COLLEGIATE SCHOOL**  
Adams and Hoover Sts. (Chestnut St. & Adams St.) Phone 1135. Conv. admission to the school. Miss PARSONS, Miss DESSA, Miss PARSONS, Miss DESSA, Principal.

**Automobiles.**  
**The Stearns**  
Touring Car  
The only guaranteed car on the market. The easiest to operate and care for, and absolutely reliable at all times.  
A. F. Worthington, agent.  
331-333 South Main St.

**TOURING CARS** are the best on the market, \$1500. W. K. COWAN, 830 South Broadway.

**STEVENS DURYEA**  
An Old Reliable. Speedy Chariot.  
N. W. Church, Third Street.

**Business Directory.**  
Lumber Dealers.  
E. K. Wood Lumber Co.  
Nesbitt Bros. Lumber Co.  
Cor. 8th and Main sts., block from P. O.

**OPTIMO CIGARS**  
40 Sizes, 10c to 50c Each.  
A. SANTARELLA & CO., Modern Tampa, Fla. Wholesale Distributors.

**HUTCHASON**  
Hutchason Dental Co.  
404 1/2 S. Broadway

**Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt**  
Cures Rheumatism, Nervousness, Poor Circulation of the Blood, Varicose and Loss of Vital Force. It cures to stay cured. Call and get the book, or send this ad and I will send the book, sealed free.

**DR. M. B. McLAUGHLIN,**  
129 North Spring Street, Los Angeles.

**Ivory Soap**  
IT FLOATS

**Shoes for Children**  
50c up  
Blair's, 311 S. 4th St.

**Tape Worms**  
And other Parasites removed.  
Dr. J. A. Arnold  
824 S. Broadway

**Broadway Drapery and Furniture Co.**  
New Stock New Goods. 417 S. Broadway

**RUMFORD**  
THE WHOLESALE  
**Baking Powder**





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DR. O. C. JOSLIN

Specialist in all diseases of the male system. I cure this prevalent disease in 3 to 10 days. There are no other cures. I cure this prevalent disease in 3 to 10 days. There are no other cures. I cure this prevalent disease in 3 to 10 days. There are no other cures.

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FOR PALE PEOPLE

**RUPTURE**

Can be cured

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**STREET CUTLER**

VALTER T. COVINO

## PLUMBERS ARE LOCKED OUT.

**PLUMBERS WILL NOT GO TO DICTIONARY.**

The plumbers of Los Angeles County have been locked out of the city since last night. The union men are on strike and will not go to work until their demands are met.

## NOTES AND PICK-UPS.

Edwin Stearns, secretary of the Oakland Board of Trade, greeted friends on the Rialto yesterday. He came down from the visiting Oaklanders. Stearns was formerly in the real estate and insurance business in Pasadena, and left there two years ago.

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## RAILROAD MAN IS MANGLED.

**YARD FOREMAN AT SAN PEDRO IS FRIGHTFULLY INJURED.**

By Singular Coincidence He Makes Remittance of Premium on Life Insurance Just Before the Probably Fatal Accident—In Chain of Misfortunes.

## SAN DIMAS.

**LIBRARY TO BE OPENED.**

SAN DIMAS, Feb. 11.—The San Dimas library will be formally opened to the public Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The library will be open every evening in the week except Sunday from 5 to 10 o'clock. Mrs. Ida Kerr has been appointed librarian, with Mrs. H. H. Kinney assistant.

## CLAREMONT.

**Y.W.C.A. ELECTION.**

CLAREMONT, Feb. 11.—The following young ladies were today elected officers of the Y.W.C.A. of the college: Miss Mabel T. Roof, President; Miss Anna McNair, vice-president; Miss Carrie Swartz, treasurer; Miss Jessie Thomas, corresponding secretary; Miss Winnie Giffen, recording secretary.

## SANTA MONICA.

**GATHERING OF WOODMEN.**

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 11.—Fully 800 persons assembled in the North Beach Auditorium last night to hear F. A. Falkenberg, head consul of the Woodmen of the World, tell of the growth and benefits of that order. J. H. Foley, head adviser, was also present. The guests were welcomed to the city by Mayor T. H. Dudley and a literary and musical program followed. The Fremont Camp of Los Angeles gave an exhibition drill. The festivities ended with singing. H. J. McKenzie was chairman of the evening.

## INGRAM WOULD END HIS DAYS.

**ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDE IN THE CITY JAIL.**

Knots Two Handkerchiefs and Tries to Strangle Himself in His Cell—Victim of His Assault Reported in Precarious Condition.

## POMONA.

**EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.**

POMONA, Feb. 11.—The semi-annual convention of Episcopal churches of Southern California opened here last night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church with prayer service. Rev. W. MacCormick read a paper upon the work of the church in the forward movement of the twentieth century. This forenoon Rev. Lawrence B. Ridgely of Los Angeles delivered a sermon.

## INTERESTING FIGURES.

In this connection statistics showing the condition of the lumber interests of the Pacific Coast are interesting. The statistics were recently compiled by the United States Department of Commerce, and show that the total of the States of Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho and Montana for 1903 was 4,284,000,000 feet as against an aggregate for 1902 of 3,823,000,000.

## NOT SHOWN STOPPED THERE.

Because George W. Ogilvie, manager of the Fraternal Aid Operahouse, refused to join the Southern California theatrical union, he has been barred from the house. There will probably be no road shows here for a time, some of them having been obliged to cancel their bookings.

## UNRULY BOY COMMITTED.

Willie Talbott has been placed at the McKinley Boys' Home, Los Angeles. He is one of the small boys who has been getting into all sorts of trouble here and could not be managed by a widowed mother.

## CATALINA ISLAND.

**GREAT FISH EXHIBIT.**

AVAILON, Feb. 11.—The greatest exhibit of fishes from Pacific Coast waters ever assembled is now being exhibited at the Exposition at St. Louis. It has been prepared under the direction of Commissioner Frank Wiggins. There are thirty-six specimens of fish, including the largest of the Pacific, the blue whale, and other curious forms of marine life.

## NOTES OF THE PORT.

Edward Maher has commenced the erection of a \$2000 cottage at the corner of Pico Verde and Fourteenth streets. The home will be occupied by United States Assistant Engineer R. A. Crawford.

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